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PART VI.

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

Notification dated 11th May 1927.

In continuation of Notification dated the 2nd May 1927, regarding the sale of Tangadi and Kakke bark leases for 1927-29, in Bangalore by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore, published in the *Mysore Gazette*, dated the 5th instant, it is hereby informed that the sale will be held in the Court Hall of the Deputy Commissioner's Office on the 30th May 1927.

B. V. RAMAIENGAR,
Conservator of Forests.

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated 18th April 1927.

It is hereby notified for general information that a quantity of about 750 C.ft. of sawn timber of different sizes including spokes and felloes, will be sold by public auction, on Wednesday the 8th June 1927, at the Sandal Koti, Bangalore, by the District Forest Officer, Bangalore District, the sale will be commenced at 3 P.M.

For further particulars, please see detailed notification, dated the 11th April 1927, published on pages 286-287, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 14th April 1927.

M. A. VARADACHAR,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

RESALE OF TIMBER.

Notification dated 17th May 1927.

The timber of the defaulting purchasers who fail to remit their dues before the 15th June 1927, will be resold by public auction at the following depots by the District Forest

Officer, Mysore District, or any other officer authorised by the District Forest Officer at 2 P.M., on the dates noted against each depot under the following conditions :—

Sl. No.	Name of depot where timber is available	Date of sale
1	Chamrajnagar	20th June 1927
2	Nanjangud Depot	21st do
3	Manchegowdanahalli Depot	22nd do
4	Begur Depot	23rd do
5	Metikuppe Jungle Depot	25th do
6	Mysore woodyard	27th do
7	Hunsur Depot	28th do
8	Periyapatna Depot	

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale. But defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

(*a*) In the case of purchasers of timber in small quantities, full value thereof will be accepted, if tendered on the spot, and the payment of deposit in such cases will not be insisted.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose. Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. All sales of which the amount exceeds Rs. 500 in each case are subject to the confirmation by the Conservator and in other cases to that of the District Forest Officer.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay the full amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.

In cases of resales for default of payment of value where no bidders are forthcoming, it will be open to the District Forest Officer to fix such price as may appear to him to be reasonable and to proceed for the recovery from the defaulter of the balance, if any, after deducting the price so fixed from the original sale amount. A registered notice shall be issued to the defaulter intimating the price fixed by the District Forest Officer for the unsold wood and the amount still due from him will be recovered as arrears of Land Revenue.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned immediately after the sales are concluded, those of successful bidders being lodged in the Savings Bank as security deposit.

7. If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser on the sale date the initial deposit as well as the other moneys already paid in shall be forfeited to Government and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for shall be resold at the risk of the purchaser.

8. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, and no timber shall be removed from the depot unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the Depot.

9. Timber purchased shall be removed as early as possible and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after the dates fixed in clause 7 *supra*. Timber not removed after purchase, will remain in the Depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

10. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed, the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

11. The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale, on the breach of any of which by the purchaser, the District

Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture, the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

Notification dated 18th May 1927.

The undermentioned quantities of timber will be sold by the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, or any other officer authorised by the District Forest Officer, at 2 P.M., on the date noted against the depot under the following conditions:—

Serial No.	Name of Depot	Date of sale	Quantity.			Remarks
			Matti	Dindiga	Hunal	More or less.
1	Yedatore Railway Station Yard.	6th June 1927.	165 C. ft.	50 C. ft.	78 C. ft.	

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale. But defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

In the case of purchasers of timber in small quantities, full value thereof will be accepted, if tendered on the spot, and the payment of deposit in such cases will not be insisted.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose. Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. All sales of which the amount exceeds Rs. 500 in each case is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator and in other cases to that of the District Forest Officer.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay 10 per cent of the amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment of the one-tenth value as well as the initial deposit of Rs. 200. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.

In cases of resales for default of payment of value where no bidders are forthcoming, it will be open to the District Forest Officer to fix such price as may appear to him to be reasonable and to proceed for the recovery from the defaulter of the balance, if any, after deducting the price so fixed from the original sale amount. A registered notice should be issued to the defaulter intimating the price fixed by the District Forest Officer for the unsold wood and the amount still due from him will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned immediately after the sales are concluded, those of successful bidders being lodged in the Savings Bank as security deposit.

7. The full value of all timber purchased shall be paid for within the 20th June 1927 or within 15 days after the date of the notice of confirmation of the sale, whichever is later. In case of purchases of above Rs. 1,000 in value, the purchaser shall be permitted to pay up the balance in instalments of not less than Rs. 1,000, provided the full value is paid not later than the 20th June 1927. The moneys shall be paid into such treasury as the District Forest Officer may direct, within the time specified.

8. If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser before the date fixed above, the initial deposit as well as the other moneys already paid in, shall be forfeited to Government and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for shall be resold at the risk of the purchaser in the manner prescribed for default of payment of one-tenth value in clause 5 *supra*.

9. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, excluding the 10 per cent deposit paid for the lot at the time of the sale; and no timer shall be removed from the Depot unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the Depot. The earnest money will not be adjusted towards the value of timber, until 90 per cent of the purchase money over and above the security deposit has been paid.

10. Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible, and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after the date fixed in clarse 7 *supra*. Timber not removed after purchase will remain in the Depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

11. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

12. The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale, on the breach of any of which by the purchaser, the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture, the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

H. S. NARAYANA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA DIVISION.

Notification dated 20th May 1927.

Tenders will be received by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, at the District Forest Office, Shimoga, up to 4 P.M., on the 5th July 1927, for the carting of prepared sandalwood from the Shimoga Sandal Koti to the Railway Station, Shimoga, and loading the same to waggons at the Railway Station during the year 1927-28.

N.B.—(*i*) The approximate quantity of wood to be carted is 175 tons which may be increased at the discretion of the District Forest Officer.

(*ii*) Carting includes weighing out the sandalwood intended for despatch, counting billets and loading them into carts, unloading the wood from carts at the Railway Station.

(*iii*) In the case of chiltas, it also includes, preparation of double bags, filling chiltas in bags and duly stitching them afterwards.

2. Tender should be registered, insured and superscribed as "TENDER FOR THE CARTING OF SANDALWOOD FROM THE SHIMOGA SANDAL KOTI TO THE RAILWAY STATION, SHIMOGA AND LOADING THE SAME TO WAGGONS AT THE RAILWAY STATION." The tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 50 (rupees fifty) in currency notes. The rate to be quoted should be per ton of wood.

3. The District Forest Officer will be at liberty to accept or reject the lowest tender, without assigning any reason therefor.

4. Within the 15 days from the date of intimation of the fact of approval, the successful tenderer shall furnish a security of Rs. 200 including the initial deposit in clause 2 above in the shape of Mysore Government Savings Bank Account, duly pledged in favour of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, and execute an agreement binding himself of observing the following conditions:—

Conditions.

(*a*) That he will be ever ready, during the period of contract, to provide the required number of carts for the despatch of sandalwood whenever called upon.

(*b*) That in case of failure on his part to furnish the required number of carts at the required time, the officer in charge of the Koti may make his own arrangements for despatch of the wood making the contractor liable to pay up the extra cost, if any, that may have to be incurred. The contract will also be liable for cancellation at the discretion of the District Forest Officer on account of such default.

(*c*) The loading and unloading business will be done so as not to give room for leakage or damage of sandalwood, and that in either case, the contractor will be liable to the department for the loss so sustained.

(*d*) That all the loaded carts will leave the Koti at the same time and move on, in one batch, under the supervision of the departmental subordinates to be deputed to guard the consignment.

(*e*) That the cartmen do not smoke, either in the Koti or while the sandalwood is under transit, and that in case of danger to the sandalwood by fire, the contractor will be liable to the department for damages.

(f) That his coolies and cartmen will submit to the disciplinary measures that may have to be enforced by the Koti Officer during working hours.

(g) That, for failure to fulfil all or any of the foregoing conditions, the contractor will be liable for such fine as the District Forest Officer at his discretion may levy forfeiting the security deposit to Government.

SALE OF TIMBER.

Notification dated 20th May 1927.

The undermentioned quantities of timber will be sold by public auction under the following conditions at the following depots by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, or by the Range Officer deputed by him on the dates noted against each Depot:—

Serial No.	Name of depot	Date of sale	Quantities of timber	Remarks
1	Kunchenahalli ..	15th June 1927...	500 ft. Teak	More or less
2	Bederahalli ...	16th June 1927...	500 „ „	

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale. But defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

In the case of purchasers of timber in small quantities, full value thereof will be accepted, if tendered on the spot and the payment of deposit in such cases will not be insisted.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose. Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. The sale is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay 10 per cent of the amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment of the one-tenth value as well as the initial deposit of Rs. 200. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.

In cases of resales for default of payment of value where no bidders are forthcoming it will be open to District Forest Officer to fix such price as may appear to him to be reasonable and to proceed for the recovery from the defaulter, of the balance, if any, after deducting the price so fixed from the original sale amount. A registered notice should be issued to the defaulter intimating the price fixed by the District Forest Officer for the unsold wood and the amount still due from him which will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned immediately after the sales are concluded, those of successful bidders being lodged in the Savings Bank as security deposit.

7. The full value of all timber purchased shall be paid for by the 25th June 1927.

8. If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser before the dates fixed above, the initial deposit as well as the other moneys already paid in, shall be forfeited to Government and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for shall be resold at the risk of the purchaser in the manner prescribed for default of payment of one-tenth value in clause 5 *supra*.

9. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, excluding the 10 per cent deposit paid for the lot at the time of the sale; and no timber shall be removed from the Depot unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the Depot. The earnest money will not be adjusted towards the value of timber, until 90 per cent of the purchase money over and above the security deposit has been paid.

10. Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after the dates fixed in clause 7 *supra*. Timber not removed after purchase, will remain in the Depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

11. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed, the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

12. The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale, for the breach of any of which by the purchaser, the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture, the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

Notification dated 20th May 1927.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, Shimoga, up to 4 P.M. on the 5th July 1927 for collecting, rough dressing and preparing dead sandalwood and ground-hidden roots in all the Ranges of the district and carting the same to the Koties during the year 1927-28, as detailed in the subjoined table :—

Serial No.	Name of Range		Where to be carted	Remarks
		Tons		
1	Ayanur Range ...	187	Shimoga Koti ...	
2	Shankar „ ...	30		
3	Sacrebyle „ ...	25		
4	Hanagere „ ...	25		
	Total ...	267		More or less.
5	Tirthahalli Range ...	185	Tirthahalli Koti ...	
6	Agumbe „ ...	34		
7	Ripponpet „ ...	15		
	Total ...	234		

1. The contract will be for 12 months ending with 30th June 1928.

2. Tenders may be submitted either separately for each Range or for any number of Ranges together and should specify the rate per ton offered separately for sandalwood and separately for ground-hidden roots.

3. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 50 (rupees fifty) for each Range in currency notes as earnest money, in default of which, the tender will be rejected. Covers containing the tender should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, Shimoga, duly registered, insured and superscribed "TENDER FOR THE COLLECTION AND CARTING OF SANDALWOOD AND GROUND-HIDDEN ROOTS."

4. The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the District Forset Officer who does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender and to assign any reason whatsoever for rejecting the same.

5. The acceptance of any tender will be duly communicated to the successful tenderer and the earnest money of other tenderers will be returned to them.

6. The successful tenderer shall execute a bond on a proper stamped paper embodying terms enumerated here below within a week of the receipt of the orders, and shall deposit in Government Savings Bank a sum of Rs. 200 as earnest money for the due fulfilment of the terms of the contract. The deposit referred to here shall also include the earnest money referred to in para 4 *supra*.

Conditions.

(*a*) The collection of dead sandalwood and ground-hidden roots shall be extended to all State Forests, District Forests, Amrut Mahal Kavals, assessed and unassessed Government waste lands and to such of inam, jodi, kayamgutta and sarvamanya villages as of which the holders are not entitled to the sandalwood either by sannads or judicial decrees.

(*b*) With regard to the removal of sandalwood from private holdings, only such of the trees as have been marked by the departmental subordinates shall be removed with the previous written permission of the Range Officer.

(c) The collection shall be confined to dead, fallen and decaying sandal trees and to ground-hidden roots. On no account shall green and mature trees be uprooted. Axes should not as far as possible be used in the uprootal and rough preparation of sandalwood.

(d) The sandalwood uprooted shall be roughly dressed in the jungle leaving a thin layer of less than half an inch of whitewood and shall be carted to the Koti. Each consignment to the Koti shall be covered by a passport issued by the departmental subordinates.

(e) The contractor shall further bind himself to collect and cart two-thirds of the contracted quantity before the end of December 1927 and the balance by the 30th June 1928.

(f) The successful tenderer shall see that no injury is caused to the State Forests or property situated therein in the course of his operations and in the event of any such thing occurring through his negligence or of his men, he shall be made liable as per departmental rules.

(g) Should the collection and carting of sandalwood to the Koti be found unsatisfactory, the District Forest Officer will immediately cancel the contract and shall make other arrangements for working out the contracted quantity at the risk of the contractor.

(h) For the breach of any of all or the above conditions, the contractor shall forfeit the earnest money referred to in para 7 *supra* and portion of moneys due to him for collection and carting of sandalwood made and not disbursed.

(i) Payment of charges shall be made as per procedure now in practice upon the sandalwood and ground-hidden roots received in the Koti and duly weighed out there and for which Koti receipt is produced.

L. P. MASCARENHAS,
District Forest Officer.

SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification regarding the auction sale of timber in the following Depots of this Division on the dates noted against each, published on pages 361 and 362, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette* dated 12th May 1927 :—

Name of Depot.	*Date of Sale.*
(1) Chordi	... 27th May 1927, Friday
(2) Sowlanga	... 28th do Saturday
(3) Shikarpur	... 30th do Monday
(4) Sagar	... 1st June 1927, Wednesday
(5) Nagavalli	... 4th June 1927, Saturday

K. REVANNA,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

KOLAR DIVISION.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Kolar Division, up to 2 P.M. on 10th June 1927, for Restoring Chikkabandaragatta-Kondayyankere Minor Tank, Sidlaghatta Taluk. An approximate estimate of quantities is given below. These quantities are not guaranteed. The work should be completed by the end of June 1928.

2. The plans, detailed estimate and conditions may be seen at the Executive Engineer's Office at Kolar, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M.

3. Tenders should be submitted on printed forms which may be obtained from the Executive Engineer. The tenders should be accompanied by a statement in the form given below, showing the rates at which the different items specified will be executed.—

Description of work	Unit of work	Rate per unit

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 450 in Cash or Government Promissory Notes, as earnest money, and be superscribed "Tender for restoring Chikkabandaragatta Kondayyanakere Minor Tank" in default of which, tenders will be rejected.